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## AMENDMENT IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 31, 2006, Applicant submits this document and requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.